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Application No. 10/070,238

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 IN
THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) AND REQUEST
TO CORRECT ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER**

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated November 6, 2002, with a response date of January 6, 2002, enclosed is the following:

An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497 (a) and (b), identifying the application by the International Application number and International filing date.

Further, the Attorney Docket is listed incorrectly at GC-371-US. Please consider this applicants request to correct Attorney Docket number to read GC-471-US.

No fee is indicated as being associated with the Response to the Notice therefore no fee is enclosed. However if applicant is incorrect, please consider this authorization to charge and deficiencies to Deposit Account Number 16-0478.

Respectfully submitted,

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Small Entity Statement

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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